



CITY OF LODI

COUNCIL COMMUNICATION

AGENDA TITLE: Purchase of Power Circuit Breaker Speed and Travel Analyzer (\$11,960.25)

MEETING DATE: April 16, 1997

SUBMITTED BY: Electric Utility Director

RECOMMENDED ACTION: That the City Council adopt the attached resolution awarding the purchase of one power circuit breaker speed and travel analyzer to the low bidder, Vanguard Instrument Company, c/o Tarbell Associates of Novato, California, in the amount of \$11,960.25.

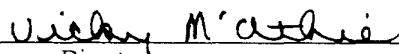
BACKGROUND INFORMATION: On March 5, 1997, the City Council approved specifications and authorized advertisement for bids for a power circuit breaker speed and mechanism travel analyzer to be used by the Department's Electric Substation and Systems Division.

The following two bids were received, and opened on April 2, 1997:

Vanguard Instrument Co./Tarbell Associates, Novato, CA	\$11,960.25
Finepoint Marketing, Programma Div., Kenwood, CA	\$12,319.06

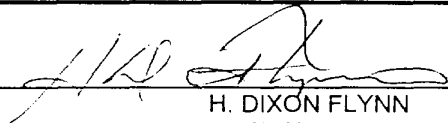
This equipment will be used to detect future maintenance needs at each of the City's power substations, thus to help prevent or reduce unexpected outages or service interruptions.

FUNDING: 1996/97 Capital Outlay Fund (16.1-680.01)


Vicki M'Carthy
Finance Director


Alan N. Vallow, Electric Utility Director

APPROVED: _____


H. DIXON FLYNN
City Manager

RESOLUTION NO. 97-43

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL
AWARDING THE BID FOR THE PURCHASE OF A POWER
CIRCUIT BREAKER SPEED AND TRAVEL ANALYZER

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WHEREAS, in answer to notice duly published in accordance with law and the order of this City Council sealed bids were received and publicly opened on April 2, 1997 at 11:00 a.m. for the purchase of Power Circuit Breaker Speed and Travel Analyzer, described in the specifications therefore approved by the City Council on March 5, 1997; and

WHEREAS, said bids have been compared, checked, and tabulated and a report thereof filed with the City Manager as follows:

<u>Bidder</u>	<u>Location</u>	<u>Bids</u>
Vanguard Instrument Co./Tarbell Associates	Novato, CA	\$11,960.25
Finepoint Marketing, Programma Div.	Kenwood, CA	\$12,319.06

WHEREAS, the City Manager recommends award of the bid for the purchase of the Power Circuit Breaker Speed and Travel Analyzer, be made to the low bidder, Vanguard Instrument Company, c/o Tarbell Associates of Novato, CA; and

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lodi City Council that the award of the bid for the purchase of the Power Circuit Breaker Speed and Travel Analyzer, be and the same is hereby awarded to Vanguard Instrument Company, c/o Tarbell Associates of Novato, CA, the low bidder, in the amount of \$11,960.25.

Dated: April 16, 1997

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 97-43 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held April 16, 1997, by the following vote:

AYES: COUNCIL MEMBERS -

NOES: COUNCIL MEMBERS -

ABSENT: COUNCIL MEMBERS -

ABSTAIN: COUNCIL MEMBERS -

JENNIFER M. PERRIN
City Clerk